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We have a full line of Groceries. The very best that can be bought and our prices are reasonable, we will give you special prices in case lots. **Don't fail to see our shoes and Men's Furnishings.** For quality and price, our underwear, sweaters socks and gloves can't be beat. **A word about your grain, don't contract it.** On the 4th of October 1914, wheat sold for \$1.04. In February 1915 it sold for \$1.60. Last Saturday wheat was worth 1.04. Why should wheat not advance as much this year as last. The man who asks you to contract your grain wants your business; so do we, but we want to see you get the very biggest price for your grain. The more money you get for your crop this year, the bigger crop you can put in next year. Don't be in a rush about getting rid of your grain; it is good property. If you sell your grain, someone is buying it, perhaps that someone knows as much about the grain situation as you do. It is for you at the best, a one sided gamble.

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With your winter's supply of

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A big stock of both kept constantly on hand. Lumber of all kinds. Hardwoods for reaches and eavens. Lime, Cement, Beaver Board, etc.

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in working order. Give us a trial. Elevator, Track and Contract Grain. At highest possible prices.

See me before you sell or buy.

G. B. Shields. Agent for the IMPERIAL OIL CO. Ltd

Over \$400.00 in three days

Alderson and district will do its share for the Patriotic Fund. Already in three days or between Monday morning and Wednesday noon the list given below resulted. The list is on Mr. Drummond's counter. Now Friends don't put it off because you can't give 50 bachelors. The fund wants yours too. In addition to this list a Tripola man and a Scany South man have verbally promised good contributions.

ALDERSON PATRIOTIC FUND

Wheat or cash equivalent.

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| W H McEwen, Brutus | 50 |
| S F McEwen, Alderson | 50 |
| A J Drummond, " | 50 |
| N E Stuart, " | 50 |
| F J Brown, " | 50 |
| F W Shields, " | 50 |
| F C Woolven, " | 50 |
| T B Holdge, " | 50 |
| Total | 400 |

Wednesday, October 20

Sudden death of Corp. McDowell

The town was shocked on Saturday by the News that Corporal McDowell had been found dead in the barracks at Suffield, on Friday with a bullet wound in his temple. The facts unfortunately point to suicide while temporarily deranged. That was the verdict issued by Coroner's Jury on Friday. Following the inquest Inspector Shoebottom of the R. N. W. M. P. had the body sent to Medicine Hat for interment.

Mac was a universal favorite, with everyone he met. Not one but regrets his untimely death. That he had a very serious ear trouble was known to his intimate friends. It is known that this trouble preyed terribly on the young officer's mind and no doubt led to his rash act.

When discovered the body was lying prostrate over the bed. The revolver was on the floor. Mr. McDowell had removed his uniform and was attired in his underwear only. He was not seen about town after Monday evening. It was not till Friday morning that entry to the barracks was forced and the body discovered.

(Later)

The funeral service of the late Corp. McDowell was held Sunday at Joseph Nott's Chapel and was conducted by Rev. Cyril Swainson of Suffield, a close personal friend of the deceased. The service was impressive and the chapel was full of mourners and friends. Miss Delphine Macdonald sang Some Sweet Day with fine feeling and all present sang Nearer My God To Thee.

DENTISTRY

Dr. J. Cleary, Wray

Will be in ALDERSON, 1st and 3rd Mondays and Tuesdays of each month.

NOTICE

I take this means to thank all my former patrons for their kindness in the past and wish to notify them that I have sold my business the Alderson Barber Shop to Mr. R. F. Randall, a barber of many years experience, whom I can heartily recommend to you.

H. B. BRIGHAM.

The floral tributes were beautiful and as follows: Cross and white Mums from the Non-Commissioned officers and men of Medicine Hat district, wreath red and white roses Miss Phyllis Becker, spray of white and scarlet carnations, Inspector Shoebottom and Mrs. Shoebottom, wreath pink and white roses Masable Lodge Suffield, spray of white mums, Suffield Ladies auxiliary.

The pallbearers were Sergeant McLaren Corp. Clark of Irvine and Constables Eland, Huffman Hall and Jackson and Conlon.

The mother and sister of the late Mr. McDowell reside in England.

Local and Personal

Read the ads.

N. E. Stuart and Co. have presented a \$5.00 prize for the baby contest at the fair to-day.

D. Russell of Calgary is assisting at the Union bank for a few weeks.

A. D. Thompson is taking a few days rest in Banff.

On account of Thursday being fair day we issue on Wednesday.

Several weddings will be written up next week.

Ed. Edmunds purchased a Ford car this week from N. E. Stuart local agent.

The sign on the Great West Hotel was obliterated this week and now reads Hotel Alderson.

Jno. Lahd and brother left Saturday for Park River N. D. where their mother is seriously ill.

Roman Catholic Service will be held in the Carleton Hotel on Sunday Oct. 21st at 10 A. M.

Miss Bessie Harris has taken a position as clerk at the Alderson pharmacy.

And. Anderson has sold the business of the Alderson Blacksmith shop to E. G. Ahlstrom who has worked there for some time.

The Ladies Aid will serve supper in the church from five to seven P. M. Thursday. Program follows in McEwen's Hall.

M. J. Kirkland has given up the position with the Union Bank. He has taken a position for a time on Hamiltons threshing rig and later he will go to Calgary and enlist.

R. F. Randall of MacLeod arrived in town on Monday and has re-opened the Brigham Barber shop. Mrs. Randall and two boys will arrive this week.

Chef Walker of the Hotel Alderson left on Tuesday evening for Winnipeg where he expects to get a position as a cook in the Commissariat of the Russian Army.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Baeken have secured a bungalow residence near New Westminster B. C. and will remove to that place next month. Mr. Hendricks has rented their residence here.

The Harvest Festival Service in connection with St. Mary's Anglican Church will commence on Oct. 28th when several clergymen attending the Deanery meetings on that date will assist. Full particulars will be given next week.

HOBBERLIN'S

Tailormade Clothing made to your individual measure from guaranteed fabrics.

Each garment guaranteed as to fit, workmanship and material.

Call and inspect our samples.

F. J. Brown, agent

ON FAIR DAY

TRY A MEAL AT

THE PALACE CAFE

MEALS FROM 25c UP

"It's The Cook"

LOUIS RHODES

Prop.

BREAD FOR SALE

There is no Question ?

But what you will build that long contemplated house or barn this fall. Do you want the best stock at the "just right" prices? Purchase your material at our yard, and you will realize that you have received a full measure both in quality and price.

When it comes to Lumber, we have the Goods.

C. F. Starr Lumber Co.

V. E. Starr, Manager Phone 13

Call and See us. We are here to Serve you.

THE ALDERSON NEWS

ALDERSON, ALBERTA

Published in the interests of Alderson and district every Thursday by
W. D. MacKAY, Proprietor.

Card of thanks, 50 cents. Local ads among reading matter, 10c per line first insertion, 5c per line each following insertion. Amusements of entertainments, etc., conducted by churches, societies, etc., Display advertising rates on application.

SUBSCRIPTION \$1.50 per year

THURSDAY, OCTOBER, 21st 1915



Mr. Reader

HAVE you scanned the Patriotic donations. We call that a bang up start, Alderson, Brutus and Tripola are represented at time of writing in a very promising way. The editor is going to bring this fund constantly before the attention of the readers. Let the district show its patriotism. Tell us know how much grain or cash you will give.

In the absence of anything doing in Brooks just now, Editor Nesbitt of the Brooks' Bulletin reports that the "aurora borealis" has been visible in those parts.

LUMBER and COAL

We carry a complete stock of lumber, lath, shingles, and building material.

We also have a good supply of the Famous Galt Coal always on hand.

ATLAS LUMBER CO., Ltd.
C. RIDDLE, Mgr.

Carlstadt Hotel
First class in every respect.
Rates, \$1.50 and \$2.00 per day.
Steam-heated
Throughout
Martin
Stubbs
Prop.



CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

WESTBOUND

No. 3 10.59 a.m.
No. 13 11.17 p.m.
No. 13 stops only on Flag.

EASTBOUND

No. 4 6.28 p.m.

Special! The Threshing Season

is here, and so are we, with the best assortment of Horse Blankets that ever was shown in Medicine Hat. We can give you special prices for Thirty days.

The T. Hutchinson Saddlery Co'y
623 Third St. MEDICINE HAT Phone 2064

Mr. Farmer

Compare the following prices for wheat loaded on track at Suffield, and see if you have got all that is coming to you:

Oct. 12 - .84½
" 13 - .85½
" 14 - .85½
" 15 - .87
" 16 - .86½
" 18 - .83½

Ship your grain in car lots and get all that it is worth. Government grade. Government wgt.

Dan. D. Doyle,
Suffield, Alta.

Buyer for Jas Richardson & Sons

AGENTS WANTED

to represent Canada's Greatest Nurseries

in Alderson and surrounding district. A splendid opportunity for the right man to do big business. Our list for the season of 1915-16 embraces best list of hardy varieties recommended by Western Experimental Station.

We offer exclusive territory. Handsome free outfit. High-commissions. Write for terms.

STONE & WELLINGTON
FONTHILL, NURSERIES
Toronto, Ontario

THE COLUMN--

--That Gets Results

WANTED TO PURCHASE.—Wanted between 1300 and 1600 lbs. Apply to Bob Trevaud at the Livery Barn, Alderson.

TO BE LEASED.—50 acres under cultivation this year in N.W. 1, 8, 14, T. 16, R. 10. Apply Box R. Alderson News.

ONIONS FOR SALE.—Lay in your winter supply of onions, we can supply your needs. J. M. Caines, Tide Lake or see Al Cole, Alderson.

LINDAU FARM DAIRY.—Good pure milk guaranteed. 12 quarts tickets \$1.00. We invite your patronage. H. Von Wiltsch, trop.

I AM BUYING GRAIN in the country tributary to Suffield. See me before you sell. Also buying on contract Government weights and Inspection given. C. E. Miller, Suffield and Agatha.

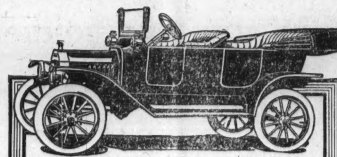
HILDAHL DAIRY.—Fresh milk delivered to your door every morning. Everything clean and sanitary. Fresh eggs for sale. 13-17

PETE NELSON—Wants your work. He is prepared to do harness repairs and shoe repairs. He will also press and clean clothes, to suit anyone. 10-17

EDISON Phonographs

Do not be without Music in your home this winter. With a phonograph in your Home you have access to the world's renowned Musical Artists. The Edison Diamond point reproducer makes the reproduction natural. Prices are universal from \$40.00 up. Records are indestructible. Write or Call and see us for cuts and demonstration.

The Assiniboia Music Co. Ltd.
MEDICINE HAT ALTA.



Ford Touring Car

Price \$530

Now surely you can own a Ford. With the first cost of the Ford now so low it is possible for the average Canadian to have a real motor car of his own. Unprecedented production makes possible these low prices, but the quality of the car is, if anything, higher than ever.

The Runabout is now \$195. The Town Car \$780. f.o.b. Ford, Ontario. All cars completely equipped, including electric headlights. Equipment does not include speedometer. Get particulars from N. E. Stuart & Co., Alderson, Alberta.



"Let George do it!"

Phone up No. 6 for the O. K. Dray Line.

GEORGE RUSSELL, Proprietor.

PALACE ICE CREAM PARLOR

Did you see the line of fruit at the Palace Ice Cream Parlor? Grapes, Plums, Bananas, Oranges and Apples. Tempting and Delicious. All the latest magazines on hand.

R. H. THORNTON, Proprietor

UNION BANK OF CANADA

Secure Prompt Returns through Union Bank of Canada Drafts

When you ship your fruits, grain, livestock or any other produce, ensure prompt payment by putting through a Union Bank of Canada Draft on the Consignees. This is the business-like way, and will save you delayed payments and sometimes loss. The cost is trifling—see the Manager about it.

Alderson Branch

O. J. WOOD, Manager

GENERAL BLACKSMITH

PLOW WORK A SPECIALTY

Come early and avoid the rush to The Old Reliable, and get Satisfaction.

E. G. AHLSTROM

THEROUX SHAVING PARLOR

Everything Sanitary, Everything clean. The very place for a good slick shave.

A. J. THEROUX, Proprietor

I Have No Hot Air

to peddle and no time to peddle it if I had it

But I have a car of Flour which I guarantee to be as good as any flour on the market regardless of name or price and the price is less.

Load your grain into a car IF YOU WANT THE HIGHEST PRICE

W. J. HALL RAILWAY St.

Buy an Irrigated Farm FROM THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

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Irrigation makes the farmer independent of rain and insures good crops, not occasionally, but every year. Irrigation makes possible the successful culture of alfalfa, the king of feeders, which insures best returns in dairying and mixed farming.

Irrigation means intensive farming and close settlement with all the advantages of a densely populated agricultural community.

Irrigation in the Canadian Pacific Railway Irrigation Block is no longer an experiment, the year 1914 having absolutely demonstrated its success wherever intelligently applied.

You can buy irrigated land from the Canadian Pacific Railway at prices ranging from \$35 to \$75 per acre, with twenty years to pay and the privilege of a loan of \$2,000.00 for improvements (6% interest); no principal payment at the end of first and second years and no water rental for first year. Assistance is also given in supplying stock in approved instances.

This is the most liberal offer of irrigated farm land on record

Get full particulars from

F. M. CAMERON

General Superintendent of Lands

Canadian Pacific Railway Dept. Natural Resources
CALGARY ALBERTA

"INDUSTRIAL CANADA" AND WAR INDUSTRIES

Goes Vindication of National Policy
in Fact That Dominion is Turning
Out War Materials

According to "Industrial Canada," in a recent issue, the war is vindicating Canada's national policy. The manufacturer's journal explains its position in the following paragraph: Further vindication of the National Policy has been furnished by the present war. If we had followed the Free Trader's ideal in Canada and confined the energies of our people to agriculture and the production of raw material, we would not now have an industrial system with which to aid in the gigantic task of producing sufficient munitions to overwhelm the enemy. Our factories are busy turning out all kinds of military equipment for ourselves and our allies. If the National Policy had never been put in operation the industries of Canada would have been small, localized, and almost at the mercy of their powerful competitors from abroad. This war has proved that a country which has no industrial system cannot hope to defend itself successfully. A powerful belligerent can cut off importations and reduce to impotence an adversary which does not possess factories in which to make munitions. A country which is almost entirely agricultural must buy its weapons and supplies. If it cannot buy them its situation is deplorable. When the present war broke out, Australia, Canada, New Zealand and South Africa, the four great self-governing Dominions which have built up industrial systems behind protective tariffs, immediately began to utilize their factories to equip their own forces and to supplement the overtaxed factories of the Motherland and also to create and organize new industries. The policy which produces such results should not be discarded.

LESSONS FROM AUSTRALIA

How the Boot and Shoe Tariff Has
Helped Manufacturers There

According to a recent United States Bureau of Commerce report, the effect of the tariff on the Australian shoe industry has been very marked. During the years from 1909 to 1915 the Tariff Commission in its reports finds that the imports have not averaged more than about 10 per cent. of the total requirements of the market. It is true that in 1915 the percentage of imports slightly increased, but this was due in large measure to a greatly increased consumption caused by immigration, and to the fact that local manufacturers had not been able to expand sufficiently to keep up with the increased demand. There is also difficulty with respect to securing skilled labor.

It is interesting to know that the duty on imported boots and shoes from the United Kingdom is 30 per cent., and from the United States 35 per cent. On the top of this are the costs of importing, which average 10 per cent., and with the statutory addition of 10 per cent. for landed values make the total protection against the United Kingdom 45 per cent. and against the United States 45½ per cent. It should be noted that the Canadian tariff on boots and shoes is, under normal conditions, 35 per cent., and even with the addition of the war tax is only 50 to 52½ per cent. No doubt the measure of protection enjoyed by the Australian manufacturer would be regarded as very high in Canada, but the fact remains that it has secured for the Australian workingman and manufacturer the bulk of the home market. When every one can find employment at good wages the disposition to criticize the means by which this condition is secured is not very great. It is apparent, too, from the report referred to that the boot and shoe manufacturers of Australia, as a whole, are satisfied with the existing tariff, and are not clamoring for more. The same condition is true in Canada, the Canadian manufacturer being content for the most part with the amount of protection he now enjoys.

A Chameleon of Gems

Heliore is the newest gem, and it differs from all others in its remarkable faculty of changing color. Heliore is a brand-new discovery. It was accidentally unearthed by German prospectors searching for other precious stones in German East Africa. No one knew what the gem was when it was first brought to light, but it did not take long to learn that they had added a new star to the bright firmament of gems. Samples of the stone were sent to the Kaiser, and he was delighted with them. He had seven heliore stones set with diamonds and pearls and made into a cross for the Empress. The predominating color of heliore in daylight is a brilliant golden yellow. In artificial light it changes to a beautiful green. In semi-darkness it shines like a diamond.

HELP! HELP!

HELP YOUR COUNTRY!

Give of your wheat in a noble cause. Encourage the men who fight your battle. Help to support their wives and children. **GIVE YOUR WHEAT** to keep those dependent on our soldiers from want.

ALL WHEAT DONATED WILL BE SOLD
and THE PROCEEDS PAID TO THE
PATRIOTIC FUND

FIGHT OR PAY!

Dr. S. F. McEWEN, Chairman of Committee

Moberley

and without a word followed Vannoy to the bedside and looked down at the patient. He lay very still, a puzzled frown drawing his brows together, his

Hangar—She appears to have changed her clothes.
Fanger—Most people disappear to do that.—Dartmouth Jack o' Lantern

munition, horses and foodstuffs the world over, "not to England or the British Isles only, but also to the several distant parts of the world in

Don't carry a gun when you are
hunting for work.

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Great Satisfaction.
Try One

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Bingville Bubbles

Threshing in the Bingville district is progressing slowly but surely under the direction of Messrs. Pratt and Bishop with "Christmas" as mascot. The crop is much too heavy for rapid progress very little wheat going below 40 bushels per acre, oats 75, flax 20. The yield is far in advance of expectations and granaries so far are inadequate and grain is scattered all over the prairie.

Mr. Frank Bishop holds the premier position so far, his wheat averaging over 50 bushels per acre.

Our fighting postmaster made a flying trip from Whitehead's to Suffield and back with 170 bushels of wheat behind 8 horses in one day cutting all previous records in half.

It will pay you to read the ads

We regret to report a serious accident to the Premier position. While riding Neilsons outlast she was thrown to the ground and sustained a fractured knee. First aid was rendered by Mr. Herald. Mrs. Kramer is recovering nicely.

The Duke of Noxon was in town during the week and his usually well disciplined team refused to work together when entering the elevator. The Duke however extricated himself without difficulty.

Bingville Society has been augmented by the arrival in our midst of Miss Marr.

Twinkles Bros. lost one of their valuable horses Bob on the trail by death.

Subscribe to the News \$1.50 a year.

Lord's Day Alliance

The annual meeting of the Lord's Day Alliance was held in the Methodist Church on Friday evening, Oct. 15th. An address was given by Rev. C. H. Huestis, Secretary for Alberta and British Columbia.

The speaker showed that the law of the Sabbath or one day rest in seven was written in the constitution of man before it was delivered by a great lawgiver or written in sacred books.

Mr. Huestis thought that Alberta stood at the front of the provinces as regarded the Sunday Law. During the present harvest season the complaints had been few from the oil parts of the province. In the south there was more cause for complaint. The Alliance had sympathy for the farmer and thought that allowances should be made on occasions to save the crops. It was the opinion of a great many farmers whom he had interviewed that there was no necessity at the present.

Hon. Mr. Cross had stated that all flagrant violations of the act would be prosecuted if reported to him.

At the close of the meeting Mr. D. A. Leitch was re-elected President of the Alderson branch and T. B. Hoideg, Secretary, Treasurer. Funds will be canvassed for in Nov.

FOR SALE. — One team, good sound Mares. Particulars, F. J. Bakken, Alderson, Alta. Inip

Exhibits carried free

An item of particular interest to intending exhibitors at the forthcoming Exhibition of Soil Products to be held by the Western Canada Irrigation Association at Bassano, November 23rd to 25th next, is the announcement by the Secretary that the Canadian Pacific Railway has agreed to carry all exhibits to that exhibition by freight free, between the dates of November 10th and 22nd inclusive. Exhibits which exhibitors wish to be returned to point of shipment at the close of the exhibition, do not come under this special freight tariff but would ship under tariff W. 3892, which provides for the free return to original shipping point within ten days after the close of the exhibition, on all exhibits for agricultural fairs or exhibitions. Agents at all stations will be advised to accept shipments on these bases from points in the Irrigation Block, Leithridge District, Calgary District, Maple Creek District, the Okanagan Valley, Kamloops, Arrow Lakes, and Kootenay Districts of British Columbia.

Read the announcement of the Alderson Realty Co., and see their exhibits at the Fair.

The Harvest Festival services in the Methodist Church last Sunday were attended by large crowds. The church was decorated beautifully. Rev. E. J. Hodgins of Medicine Hat gave two excellent addresses.

1916

**Sittings of the District Court and of the District Judges' Criminal Court**

Sittings of the District Court and of the District Judges' Criminal Court will be held within the Judicial District of Medicine Hat on the dates and at the places following during the year 1916:—

MEDICINE HAT

Commencing:

Tuesday, February 1st.
Tuesday, May 2nd.
Wednesday, September 6th.
Tuesday, October 31st.

IRVINE

Commencing:

Monday, January 31st.
Monday, May 1st.
Tuesday, September 5th.
Monday, October 30th.

DATED at Edmonton, Alberta, this 28th day of September 1916.

G. P. OWEN FENWICK,
ACTING DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL.

**Church Notices
ENGLISH CHURCH**

21st Sunday after Trinity
Alderson: Evensong; 4.00 p. m.
Suffield: Evensong 7.30 p. m.
Rev. A. Cyril Swainson, Vicar.

METHODIST SERVICES

Fertile Flats 3 p. m.
Alderson: 7.30 p. m.; Sunday School 11 a. m.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.
Rev. T. Taylor Pastor

Change of ads must reach this office at noon on Tuesdays to insure publication

Market Prices

Wheat No. 1. 80c. — No 2, 70c.
— No. 3, 75c. — Oats, 20c. —
Flax, 61.45.

PROVISIONS : Butter, 30c.
Eggs, 35cts.

**Professional
Optician**

Will be in ALDERSON Saturday. Work guaranteed. Examination free. See me at Old Barber Shop.

Butter
Wrappers
Cheap
\$3.00
a thousand

**The Old Reliable
Pioneer Store**

We would draw your attention to our men's wear department. Inspect our stock of sheepskin coats and heavy driving gloves. Just the thing for the cool days on the trail when teaming. Our shoes for men are the best you can get in town, we have treated you right in the past. We will continue to treat you right at our store.

**Large Stock
of Fresh Groceries****F. C. Woollven****You Know Me**

I have taken over the Pioneer
Dray Line and will give you
a Good Service.

Frank Flannery**FIGHT OR PAY****DON'T FORGET**

we promised to take care of her and the children when he volunteered to give up everything for his country. He might not have gone so readily if he had not been assured that we would.

**WHAT ARE YOU GOING
TO DO ABOUT IT?**

Subscribe cheerfully to the
PATRIOTIC FUND when
they call upon you to do so.

Here is a Snap

160 acres, only 1½ miles out and improved, must be sold. Will take \$10.00 per acre. Small cash payment, Balance two years, 7 per cent interest.

Here is another real good investment. — Two business properties including the lots, rented the year around, paying 11 p. c. interest on the investment. Small cash payment, easy terms handles this proposition. Choice farm adjoining the town-site of Alderson, 85 acres under cultivation, good house, barn, and all fenced, also has good cistern. Price \$20. per acre, only \$500. cash, balance three years.

LEGAL WORK such as Agreements of Sale, Land Transfers, Bill of Sale, Leases, Lien Notes and Notary work a specialty, and if you decide to get married we can sell you the License. Our auctioneer, one of the best in Alberta, can handle your auction sales, if you contemplate selling out.

THE ALDERSON CO-OPERATIVE REALTY CO.